

## Alexandria Gazette

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPT. 27, 1878.

**SENTENCED.**—Adolph Hoffman, alias Ecks ton, alias Hunsicker, alias Berger, whose "bigamistic" propensities have of late made him quite notorious in the annals of matrimonial scrapes, pleaded guilty to two indictments, for bigamy, founded upon complaints of two of his many wives, and has been sentenced to eight years hard labor in the New York State Prison. In the enclosure set apart for female witnesses, were some of his victims, who smiled with delight, as the accused, a dark, shabby looking middle aged man, shuffled past. It was noticed that when Hoffman was reticent, after receiving his eight years' sentence, he made rapid strides past the enclosure, where his wives were seated. A young woman, to whom Hoffman was engaged, was among the spectators.

## The Chinese Must Go.

There is a copper-colored, almond-eyed son of Tartary in Gold Hill who must obey Kearney's injunction. About six months ago he bought 500 shares of Bodie stock at forty cents a share, and when it reached \$55 he sold out, putting the proceeds in the hands of a Nevada banker. When this favorite was becoming the other day he had 500 shares on the street for \$300 a share. The coin thus obtained was immediately converted into United States bonds, and the Mongolian is now so rich that he has quit sawing wood and will not accept any kind of situation less dignified than that of a dishwasher in a restaurant. Verily the agitator is right. The Chinese must go.—*Gold Hill News*, Sept. 14.

## AUCTION SALES.

By Green & Wile.  
[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]  
**COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY.**—By virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at its May term, 1878, in the chancery cause of *Whitney vs. Whitney*, the undersigned commissioners therein named, will offer for sale, by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of September, 1878, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the entrance to the Court room, on Fairfax street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property, to-wit: **THE LOT OF GROUND IN THE IMPROVEMENT** thereon known as No. 5 situated on the north side of Prince st., beginning at a point 10 feet 10 inches, more or less, east of Fairfax st.; thence east on Prince street 27 feet, more or less; thence north 10 feet 25 inches, more or less; thence west 27 feet, more or less; thence south parallel to Fairfax street to the beginning.

Terms of sale—One-fourth of the purchase money in cash, and the residue in equal installments in six, twelve and eighteen months from day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good security, and the title to the property to be retained until the purchase price is fully paid.

CHAS. R. STUART, Commissioner,  
S. FERGUSON BEACH, of sale.

sp 2-15

**WILL** be offered at the same time and place the **FRAME HOUSE** and **LOT** on the south side of Queen street, 21 door from the corner of Pitt street, occupied by Joe Corson. Terms at sale. GREEN & WILE, of sale.

sp 2-15

**COLLECTOR'S SALE.**

By virtue of my office as Collector of the Northern District of Alexandria, Va., I will at 9 o'clock a. m., on SATURDAY, Oct. 12, 1878, offer for sale by public auction, in front of the Royal street wing of the Market Building, TWO CARRIAGES, seized as the property of R. L. Edelin, to satisfy a claim of the city for taxes due by him, amounting to \$141. Cost of advertisement and sale to be borne by the owner.

JOHN T. HILL, Col. Northern District.

sp 2-15

**COMMISSIONER'S SALE.**—Pursuant to a decree of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Va., rendered at the September term, 1878, in the chancery cause of James Dudley and wife vs. Benjamin McCloy et al., and John Greig, in his own right, &c., &c., Mary Ann Greig, the undersigned, as commissioners of said chancery cause, will expose for sale, by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 5th day of October, 1878, at 12 m., in front of the Market Building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Va., the following described property:

No. 1—A LOT OF GROUND, with a BRICK TENEMENT thereon, in the said city of Alexandria, situated on the east side of Royal street, between Wolfe and Wilkes streets, in front on Royal street 10 feet 6 inches, and in depth 80 feet 6 inches, more or less.

No. 2—A BENT CHARGE of \$8 per annum charge upon the said lot of ground.

Terms of sale: One third of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months from day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, and the retention of the title until they are paid.

C. F. MARKELL, ALBERT STUART, Commissioners of sale.

sp 19-25

**HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS.**

**E. J. MILLER & CO.,**

Dealers in

CHINA, GLASS AND QUEENSWARE,

65 King street, Alexandria.

Respectfully call the attention of the trade to their large and splendid selection of

CHINA, GLASS WARE, &c.,

which they offer for sale at the

LOWEST PRICES.

They also have in store a large assortment of

LAMPS OF ALL KINDS,

including all the latest patents and designs.

A call is solicited. Orders from the country promptly filled.

LOWEST PRICES.

DONALD McLEAN, Geo. Uhler,

MOLEMAN & UHLER,

(Successors to A. H. Nott & Bro.)

HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS, CUTLERY,

PLATED, PLAIN, STAMPED,

JAPANNED, TIN, WOOD

AND WILLOW

WARES,

(of every description).

107 King street, Alexandria, Va.

N. B.—All orders from the country promptly filled.

sp 2-15

**PAPER HANGINGS**

AND

**INTERIOR DECORATIONS.**

New and Beautiful Gold, Silver, Mica, Embossed, Plain, Fresco, Marble and Wood Imitations.

New styles of Paper Hangings and Fresco Imitations for ceilings and side walls of private houses, public halls and churches, selected with great care from the best manufacturers.

My experience for many years in this business enables me to give satisfaction and sell low.

JOHN P. CLARKE,

No. 158 King street.

sp 19

**SALT! SALT! SALT!**

TO ARRIVE—

2000 sacks WORTHINGTON'S FINE SALT.

2000 sacks VERMONT'S FINE SALT.

4000 sacks LIVERPOOL GROUND ALUM SALT.

For sale at market rates by

W. A. SMOOT.

sp 9-15

**1000 SACKS**

**FINE SALT**

Just received and for sale by

aug 8 P. B. HOPE, No. 2 Prince st.

**PRIME NEW YORK CREAM CHEESE**

received to-day by

aug 23 J. C. MILBURN.

**BOOTS AND SHOES.**

**W. B. WADDEY**

110 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Is now receiving his Fall and Winter stock of

**BOOTS AND SHOES.**

And is happy to state that he is now prepared to show the finest line of Boots and Shoes, of all grades, that has ever been exhibited in this city. A great variety of new styles, very many being private patterns, of which he has the exclusive sale in this market.

**SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS**

Will be offered in every kind of goods in his line. He has just added to his stock of fine goods a large line of medium priced substantially made Boots and Shoes, which he is offering at prices to suit the times. It is certainly the best assortment he has been able to show, and they are to be sold at lower prices than ever. He cordially and confidently invites criticism, and an examination and inspection of his stock, feeling assured that his customers will be convinced that it is his aim to give the best goods at the lowest prices. He has a large and varied assortment of **HEAVY BOOTS AND SHOES**, suitable for Farmers and planters, to which he invites the particular attention of COUNTRY MERCHANTS, being satisfied that he can sell them cheaper than they can be bought this side of New England. Don't buy a dollar's worth of goods in our line until you investigate his stock. MEN'S HEAVY BOOTS, BROGANS and PLOW SHOES, regular Clod Smashers, to lace up high, so as to keep out real estate or subsoil, proof against rattle snakes, and splendid to kick a stubborn mule with.

**W. B. WADDEY, 110 KING STREET.**

**ICE DEALERS.**

**ICE. ICE. ICE. ICE**

A full supply of

**NORTHERN ICE,**

from the clearest of water, and of unusual PURITY and SOLIDITY, constantly on hand.

Packing for shipment to the country a specialty.

Persons desiring to secure their summer's supply of the article, **ABSOLUTELY FREE FROM ALL IMPURITIES, and at REASONABLE RATES**, can do so by leaving their orders at my office, with my drivers, or with Mr. Wm. T. Emerson, corner Prince and Royal streets.

Consignments and orders will receive careful and prompt attention.

my 2-15

**F. A. REED**

JANNEY'S WHARF.

my 4-15

**GROCERIES AND LIQUORS.**

**J. C. MILBURN,**

WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER.

TEA DEALER AND COMMISSION

MERCHANT,

No. 10 north Royal st., near Market space,

Alexandria, Va.

Consignments and orders will receive careful and prompt attention.

my 20

**J. BRODERS & CO.,**

Wholesale Dealers and Jobbers in

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, FLOUR,

SALT AND FISH.

A full line of celebrated pure, old Whiskies, Brandy, Gin, Rum, &c., Massey & Co.'s Philadelphia and Chagot's Baltimore Ales, and Berger & Engel's Lager Beer, in casks or bottles.

Agents for James S. Welch's Best Family Flour, James S. Kirk & Co's Standard Soap, Dupont & Co's Sporting and Blasting Gunpowder, and Baltimore and Potomac River Steamer.

Orders promptly attended to, and consignments solicited.

No. 11 King street,

Alexandria, Va.

aug 10-15

**GEORGE E. HILL & CO'S.**

**CAREFUL MANUFACTURES.**

OUR NEW GOODS.

ALMOND—Candy Nut Flavored.

COCONUT—Rich Fine Drop Top Coated.

PRINCIPLE—Iced Sheet, soft oblong.

SHADE—For light summer luncheon.

TOURIST—Sweet Hard Biscuit, figured top.

BISMARCK—German Biscuit, Caraway flavor.

SARATOGA—Crimp edge, Mace flavor.

These fancy goods are furnished the trade in assorted or straight packages, attractively put up for retail. They are not kept in stock. No cans used, consequently they are always fresh and in high flavor. We respectfully solicit an examination of these goods.

GEORGE E. HILL & CO.,

Alexandria, Va.

my 19

**R. W. AVERY,**

Dealer in

CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINE LIQUORS, &c., &c.,

226 King st., cor. Alfred,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

aug 8

**GEORGE McBURNEY & SON,**

Dealers in

CHOICE FAMILY AND FANCY GROCERIES, WINE LIQUORS, &c., &c.,

ENGLISH AND SCOTCH ALE AND BROWN STOUT.

Also, EASTERN and POTOMAC HERRI and MACKEREL.

NOS. 166 AND 170 KING STREET,

(Washington Hall Building.)

Alexandria, Va.

Orders promptly filled.

wh 31-15

**G. WM. RAMSAY,**

WHOLESALE AND FAMILY GROCER

AND

TEA DEALER.

S. E. COR. KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.

nov 22-15

**Jno. A. Field**

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Smoking and Chewing Tobacco,

CIGARS, PIPES, &c.

Flood's, Bob White, Winfree & Lloyd's Pride of Virginia, Hiawatha and other brands at factory prices. Always keeps a large stock in store. Call and see him, at No. 71 King st., before you buy elsewhere.

feb 10

**FRUIT JARS.**

Received this day pints, quarts and half-gallons Porcelain-lined and glass tops, Mason Improved and Gem Jars.

E. J. MILLER & CO.,

65 King street.

**A FULL LINE OF WHITE and BROWN SUGARS** in store and for sale at

aug 23 J. C. MILBURN.

**WILLIAM H. SMITH,**

DEALER IN

FRESH and SALTED FISH.

FISH WHARF and STALLS CITY MARKET.

would inform dealers and others that he is prepared to furnish them with all kind of

at the lowest possible prices. I would call the attention of buyers to the fact that my brand stands No. 1 in market at all times and I intend to sustain my reputation in that respect.

My stalls, Nos. 4 and 6, Fish Market, will be supplied with fresh fish every morning. They will be superintended by Mr. James G. Grimes, sr., and families can depend on getting the best, whether they come in person or send orders.

Persons at a distance wanting Fresh Fish can depend on getting them packed in good order.

All orders addressed to W. H. SMITH, Alexandria, Va., will receive prompt attention.

mar 1

**AGRICULTURAL.**

**FOR THE FALL SEASON, 1878**

**BRYANT'S STANDARD FERTILIZERS**

**NO. 1.**

Composed of 500 lbs No. 1 Peruvian Guano, 1000 lbs Ammoniated Dissolved Bone, and 100 lbs Muric of Potash.

Analysis—Ammonia 5 per cent, Soluble Bone Phosphate 25 per cent, Potash 5 per cent.

Price \$17 per ton.

**NO. 2.**

Composed of 500 lbs No. 1 Peruvian Guano and 1000 lbs Ammoniated Dissolved Bone.

Analysis—Ammonia 3 per cent, Soluble Bone Phosphate 30 per cent.

Price \$12 per ton.

**STANDARD GUARANTEED.**

Our Formula and Analysis is branded on every bag.

My Sol. Bone Phosphate is obtained from Dissolved Animal Bone. Not one pound of Carbonate of Potash or Soda, Horse manure, or any other impurity, enters into its composition. My Ammonia and Potash are obtained from the highest and best known sources.

HERBERT BRYANT,

Manufacturer,

aug 15-16

Alexandria, Virginia.

**HARDWARE AND CUTLERY.**

**JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS,**

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

**HARDWARE, CUTLERY,**

&c., &c., &c.

NO. 63 KING STREET.

We keep a full stock of Builders' Hardware, Saddlery, Hardware, Carriage and Wagon Material; also Iron, Steel, Brass, Horse shoes, spikes, Rims, Hubs, &c., to which we invite the attention of country merchants. Prompt personal attention given to orders from the country, and satisfaction guaranteed.

aug 2-15

**B. F. PEAKE,**

DEALER IN

**Doors, Sash, Blinds, Hardware,**

Paints, Oils, Leads, Cement, Lumber, Lime, Calced Plaster, Slate Mantles, Hearths, &c., &c.

CORNER KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.,

dec 1-15

Alexandria, Va.

**PEAKE & NALLS,**

DEALERS IN

**DOORS, SASH, BLINDS, HARDWARE**

PAINTS, OILS, LEADS, CEMENT, LIME, CALCEOL PLASTER, SLATE MANTLES, HEARTHES, &c.

CORNER KING AND ST. ASAPH STS.,

dec 1-15

Alexandria, Va.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

**HARDWARE, CUTLERY, HOUSE SHOES**

Iron, Plough Castings, Nail Rods, Axes, Grasses, Wagon Materials, House-keepers Goods, &c., &c.

NO. 88 KING STREET, CORNER ROYAL

aug 8

Alexandria, Virginia.

**FURNITURE, &c.**

**JAS. F. MOIR & BROTHER,**

(Successors to Wm. H. Muir & Son.)

Manufacturers of and Dealers in

**FURNITURE,**

141 and 143 KING STREET,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A large and fine stock always on hand. By 2

**JAMES H. DEVAUGHN**

MANUFACTURER AND

DEALER IN FURNITURE,

No. 130 King street,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

LOOKING GLASSES,

HAIR, COTTON TOP

HAIR, and HUSBAND MATTRESSES

kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices.